

Table 2.3-5. The status of federal and state seabirds

Species	Status*
Brown pelican ( <i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i> )	FE, SE, DFGFP
Black-footed albatross ( <i>Diomedea nigripes</i> )	
Pink-footed shearwater ( <i>Puffinus creatopus</i> )	
Sooty shearwater ( <i>P. griseus</i> )	
Black-vented shearwater ( <i>P. opisthomelas</i> )	
Northern fulmar ( <i>Fulmarus glacialis</i> )	
Leach's storm-petrel ( <i>Oceanodroma leucorhoa</i> )	
Ashy storm-petrel ( <i>O. homochroa</i> )	SSC, FSC
Black storm-petrel ( <i>O. Melania</i> )	SSC
Least storm-petrel ( <i>O. leucorhoa</i> )	
Fork-tailed storm-petrel ( <i>O. furcata</i> )	SSC
Brandt's cormorant ( <i>Phalacrocorax penicillatus</i> )	
Double-crested cormorant ( <i>P. auritus</i> )	SSC
Pelagic cormorant ( <i>P. pelagicus</i> )	
Bonaparte's gull ( <i>Larus philadelphia</i> )	
Heermann's gull ( <i>L. heermanni</i> )	
Ring-billed gull ( <i>L. delawarensis</i> )	
California gull ( <i>L. californicus</i> )	SSC
Herring gull ( <i>L. argentatus</i> )	
Western gull ( <i>L. occidentalis</i> )	
Glaucous-winged gull ( <i>L. glaucescens</i> )	
Parasitic jaeger ( <i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i> )	
Pomarine jaeger ( <i>S. pomarinus</i> )	
Red phalaropes ( <i>Phalaropus fulicaria</i> )	
Red-necked phalaropes ( <i>P. lobatus</i> )	
Black-legged kittiwake ( <i>Rissa tridactyla</i> )	
Black skimmer ( <i>Rynchops niger</i> )	SSC
California least tern ( <i>S. antillarum browni</i> )	FE, SE, DFGFP
Royal tern ( <i>Sterna maxima</i> )	
Elegant tern ( <i>S. elegans</i> )	FSC, SSC
Common tern ( <i>S. hirundo</i> )	
Arctic tern ( <i>S. paradisaea</i> )	
Forster's tern ( <i>S. forsteri</i> )	
Caspian tern ( <i>S. caspia</i> )	
Black tern ( <i>Chlidonias niger</i> )	SSC
Cassin's auklet ( <i>Ptychoramphus aleuticus</i> )	
Rhinoceros auklet ( <i>Cerorhinca monocerata</i> )	SSC
Pigeon guillemot ( <i>Cephus columba</i> )	
Marbled murrelet ( <i>Brachyramphus marmoratus</i> )	
Kantus' murrelet ( <i>Synthliboramphus hypoleucus</i> )	FSC, FPL, SSC
Common murre ( <i>Uria aalge</i> )	
Tufted puffin ( <i>Fratercula cirrhata</i> )	SSC
Pacific loon ( <i>Gavia pacifica</i> )	

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Common loon ( <i>Gavia artica</i> )	SSC
Western grebe ( <i>Aechmophorus occidentalis</i> )	
Clark's grebe ( <i>A. clarki</i> )	
Surf scoter ( <i>Melanitta perspicillata</i> )	
Black scoter ( <i>Melanitta nigra</i> )	
White-winged scoter ( <i>Melanitta fusca</i> )	
Bald eagle ( <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i> )	ST, DFGFP, FPD

\*acronyms explained below

Acronym Definition

FE Federally listed as endangered under ESA

FSC Federal species of concern

FT Federally listed as threatened under ESA

SSC State species of special concern

FPL Petitioned for federal listing under ESA

DFGFP Fully protected under FGC §3511

SE State listed as endangered under CESA

FPD Federally proposed for delisting

ST State listed as threatened under CESA